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Applicant(s): Laurent PAQUET

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For:

MOTOR VEHICLE ALTERNATOR WITH WINDING

ISOLATED FROM THE HOUSING

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Commissioner for Patents Box AF Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application in response to the Final Office Action of August 21, 2002 and the November 20, 2002 Office Communication as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please AMEND the claims as follows:

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1. (Thrice amended) A vehicle alternator comprising

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a case,

a stator winding, and

an electrically-insulating element interposed between the case and the winding, the insulating element being an annular body mounted on the case,

wherein the insulating element has at least one duct extending through an orifice in the case and wherein the duct extends so as to project from an inner side face of the insulating

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application.

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The additional fee has been calculated as shown below: TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Covered by Previous Payments	Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims*	21 -	28	0	\$18.00/ \$9.00	\$ 0.00
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Claims	5 -	5	0	\$84.00/ \$42.00	\$ 0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	(If claims added by amendment include Multiple Dependent Claim(s) and there was no Multiple Dependent Claim(s) in application before amendment add \$280.00 to additional fee (\$140.00 for small entity).				\$ 0.00
				TOTAL	\$ 0.00

^{*}Includes all independent and single dependent claims and all claims referred to in multiple dependent claims. See 37 C.F.R. §1.75(c).

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Sir:

I hereby certify that the attached Supplemental Amendment After Final Under 37 C.F.R.

§1.116 and formal papers are being transmitted on the date shown below to the Examiner Tran

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